

Dated 8th July 1976

Consumer price index number for working class at Mandya Centre, for the month of June 1976.

Interim series with arithmetically shifted base year 1960=100. Index for June 1976=290.

A fall of one point.

The consumer price index number for working class at Mandya Centre for the month of June 1976 works out to 290 points thereby showing a fall of 1 point as compared with the index number of the previous month. This index is lower by 31 points as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year which stood at 321 points.

The variations in the group indices of the current month when compared with those of the previous month are indicated below :—

1. The index number of food group has decreased by 2 points to 299 points due to a fall in the prices of Raw-rice, Ragl Turdhal Bengalgramdhal, Gh e, Onions Coconut, and wheat. .

2. The index number of the fuel and lighting group has remained constant at 312 points.

3. The index number of clothing group has remained constant at 252 points.

4. The index number of rent group has been kept constant at 100 points, since on periodical surveys have been conducted.

5. The index number of miscellaneous group has increased by 1 point to 275 points due to a rise in the price of Supari.

Sl. No.	Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group index numbers for the months of		
			June 75	May 76	June 76
1	Food	53.4	361	301	299
2	Fuel and light	10.4	312	312	312
3	Clothing	11.9	252	252	252
4	Rent	2.0	100	100	100
5	Miscellaneous	22.3	244	274	275
All groups		100.0	321	291	290

The conversion factor for general index nos. is 4.42. To get the index no. on base 1935-36=100, the index nos. with base 1960=100 has to be multiplied by the C. F. (4.42).

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For Director.

Dated 7th July 1976

Consumer price index number for working class at Mysore Centre, for the month of June 1976.

Interim series with arithmetically shifted base year 1960=100.

Index for June 1976=314.

At constant points

The Consumer price index number for working class at Mysore Centre for the month of June 1976 works out to 314 points thereby showing no change of points as compared with the index number of the previous month. This index is lower by 41 points as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year which stood at 355 points.

The variations in the group indices of the current month when compared with those of the previous month are indicated below :

1. The index number of food group has decreased by 1 point to 316 points due to a fall in the prices of Raw-rice, Turdhal, Bengalgram, Avaredhal, Onions and Garlic.

2. The index number of fuel and lighting group has increased by 2 points to 382 points due to a rise in the price of Castor Oil,

3. The index number of clothing group has remained constant at 319 points.

4. The index number of rent group has been kept constant at 100 points, since no periodical surveys have been conducted.

5. The index number of miscellaneous group has remained constant at 283 points.

Sl. No.	Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure.	Group index numbers for the months of		
			June 1975	May 1976	June 1976
1	Food	62.5	373	317	317
2	Fuel and light	9.4	401	380	382
3	Clothing	8.0	320	319	319
4	Rent	3.3	100	100	100
5	Miscellaneous	16.8	272	283	283
All Groups		100.0	355	314	314

The conversion factor for general index nos. is 4.47. To get the index nos. on base 1935-36=100, the index nos. with base 1960=100 has to be multiplied by the C. F. (4.47).

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